

Chair's Report - Distribution Subcommittee 1998 Summer Power Meeting

**Daniel J. Ward — Chair
July 16, 1999**

- _ Congratulations are in order for this year's award winner for "Excellence in Power Distribution" - John G. Anderson. John, now a consultant, had previously worked for GE and Power Technologies, Inc. Any of you that know John know that he is a fine individual, a super engineer and a great choice for this award.

- _ Standards Coordination Activity. No report available at this time. If someone would like to serve as our Standards Coordinator, please let me know. The main role would be to report back to our subcommittee on the standards of interest to our group. The Standards Subcommittee meets Tuesday morning from 10:00 – 12:00.

- _ Dan Sabin (Electrotek), our Homepage wizard, suggests we update our membership as shown on:
<http://www.electrotek.com/ieee/distcomm/distcomm.html>
We will continue to use this for a variety of activities including attracting new members, for discussions, posting meeting schedules, minutes, copies of panel session papers and for standards work.

- _ Interested in chairing a future technical session? Contact Cheri Warren for details.

- _ We welcome two new working groups. Bob Owen, Cooper Power Systems, has agreed to chair one on International Distribution Practices. In addition, Charlie Williams, Florida Power Corp, has agreed to chair one on Distribution Maintenance Practices. These 2 new directions are welcome additions to our subcommittee.

- _ IEEE's Homepage has the advance program for the Summer and Winter Power Meetings. It can be found at: <http://www.ieee.org/power/power.html>

- _ Got an idea for a future presentation at the Subcommittee Meetings? Contact Gene Baker (407) 475-2420 (email: ernest.baker@fpc.com) or myself (804) 775-5328 (email: dan_ward@vapower.com) with your suggestions.